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**MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH**

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From its inception as a vision, through design and construction phases, to its readiness for the grand opening on July 12, 2003, the Altadena Community Center has been a building by and for the residents and community based organizations of Altadena. The leaders of Altadena's community and civic organizations worked hand-in-hand with my office and County staff in the design of the building as a unique center that will serve as the home and community meeting place for the major non-profit organizations that serve the residents of Altadena.

These Altadena organizations are now forming a separate non-profit organization to be known as the Altadena Community Center Advisory Board whose mission will be to enhance communication between all non-profit groups in Altadena, promote involvement of such groups in activities to improve the quality of life for all Altadena residents, and to assist in the management, enhancement, maintenance and upkeep of the Altadena Community Center through a public- private partnership with the County of Los Angeles. These organizations

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Yaroslavsky \_\_\_\_\_

Knabe \_\_\_\_\_

Antonovich \_\_\_\_\_

Burke \_\_\_\_\_

have already worked to raise almost \$15,000 in endowment funds to provide for the future needs to the Community Center.

To further the unique purpose of the Altadena Community Center as a true town hall for Altadena and in recognition of the partnership the Altadena Community Center Advisory Board will have with the County of Los Angeles, it is appropriate that this Board waive tenancy fees for the organizations who will occupy the Altadena Community Center.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT THE BOARD, waive tenant fees for the organizations who in service to the residents of Altadena will occupy office space and hold community meetings at the Altadena Community Center.